



Status of the Prototype HypsIRI Thermal Infrared Radiometer (PHyTIR) for the HypsIRI TIR Instrument Concept

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Outline

- Introduction
- Goals and Objectives
- Design Approach
- Summary and Next Steps



HyspIRI-TIR Quad Chart



Science Questions:

TQ1. Volcanoes/Earthquakes

– How can we help predict and mitigate earthquake and volcanic hazards through detection of transient thermal phenomena?

• **TQ2. Wildfires**

– What is the impact of global biomass burning on the terrestrial biosphere and atmosphere, and how is this impact changing over time?

• **TQ3. Water Use and Availability**

– How is consumptive use of global freshwater supplies responding to changes in climate and demand, and what are the implications for sustainable management of water resources?

• **TQ4. Urbanization/Human**

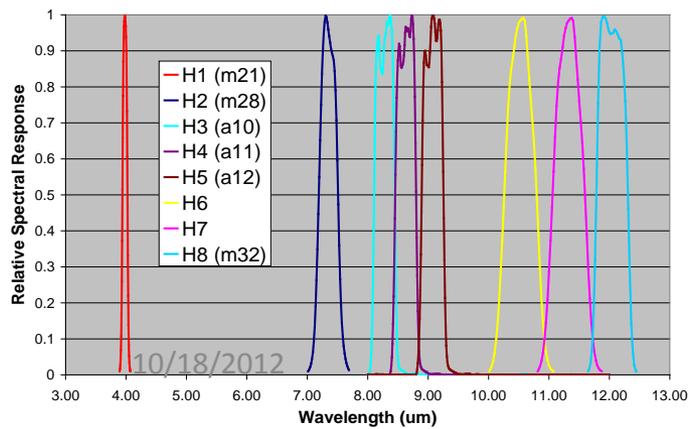
– How does urbanization affect the local, regional and global environment? Can we characterize this effect to help mitigate its impact on human health and welfare?

• **TQ5. Earth surface composition and change**

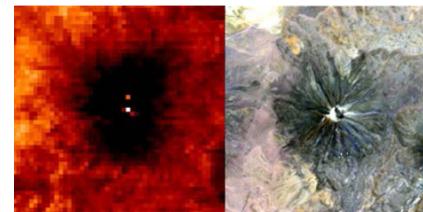
– What is the composition and temperature of the exposed surface of the Earth? How do these factors change over time and affect land use and habitability?

Measurement:

- 7 bands between 7.5-12 μm and 1 band at 4 μm
- 60 m resolution, 5 days revisit
- Global land and shallow water

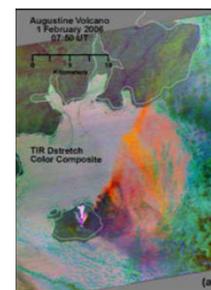
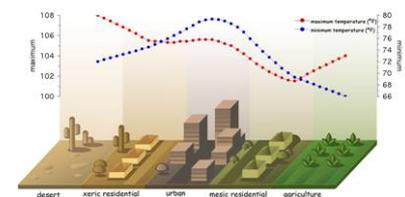


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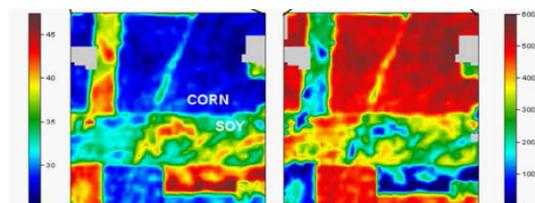


Volcanoes

Urbanization



Water Use and Availability



Surface Temperature

Evapotranspiration



HyspIRI, HyTES and PHyTIR

VSWIR

TIR

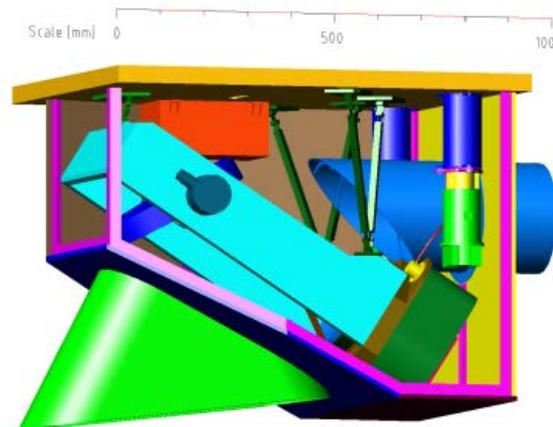
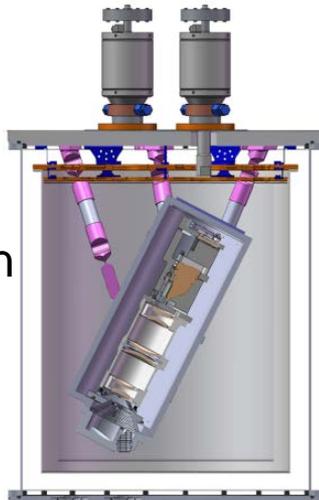


Hyperspectral Infrared Imager (HyspIRI)

Science Risk Reduction

Engineering Risk Reduction

Hyperspectral Thermal Emission Spectrometer (HyTES)

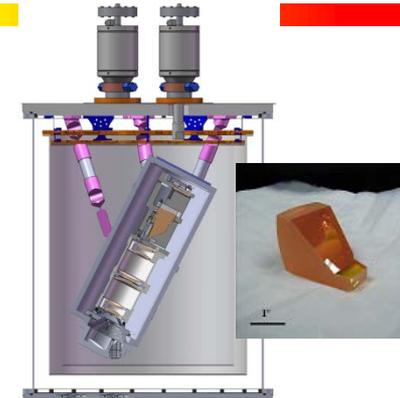
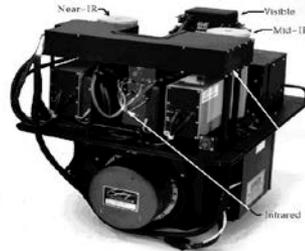
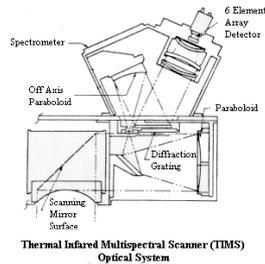


Prototype HyspIRI Thermal Infrared Radiometer (PHyTIR)



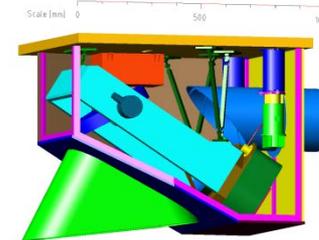
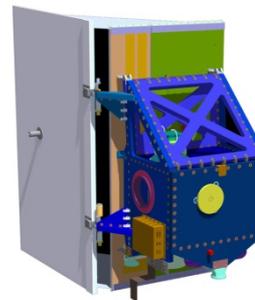
HypIRI, HyTES and PHyTIR

Airborne Instruments



Airborne Name	TIMS	MASTER	QWEST	HyTES
First Year of Operation	1980	1998	2008	2012
Number of TIR Bands	6	10	56	256

Spaceborne Instruments (incl. lab prototypes)



Spaceborne Name	ASTER	Landsat 8 (LDCM)	PHyTIR	HypsIRI-TIR
First Year of Operation	1999	2013	2014	2020
Number of TIR Bands	5	2	8	8
Swath Width	60 km	185 km	600 km	600 km
Pixel Size	90m	100 m	60 m	60 m

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HyspIRI-TIR Science Measurement Requirements

PARAMETER	BASELINE	SCIENCE REQUIREMENT
Ground Resolution (m)	60	<100
Revisit (days)	5	<6
Noise equivalent delta temperature (K)	0.2	<0.3
Absolute accuracy (K)	0.5	<1
Saturation – low temperature bands (K)	500	>400
Saturation – high temperature band (K)	1200	>1100
Overpass time (hh:mm)	10:30am	10-3pm
Nighttime imaging	Yes	Required
Number of Bands (spectral range: 3 – 12 μm)	8	≥ 8
Coverage	Land and coastal regions	Land and coastal regions
Data latency	2 days	< 1 week

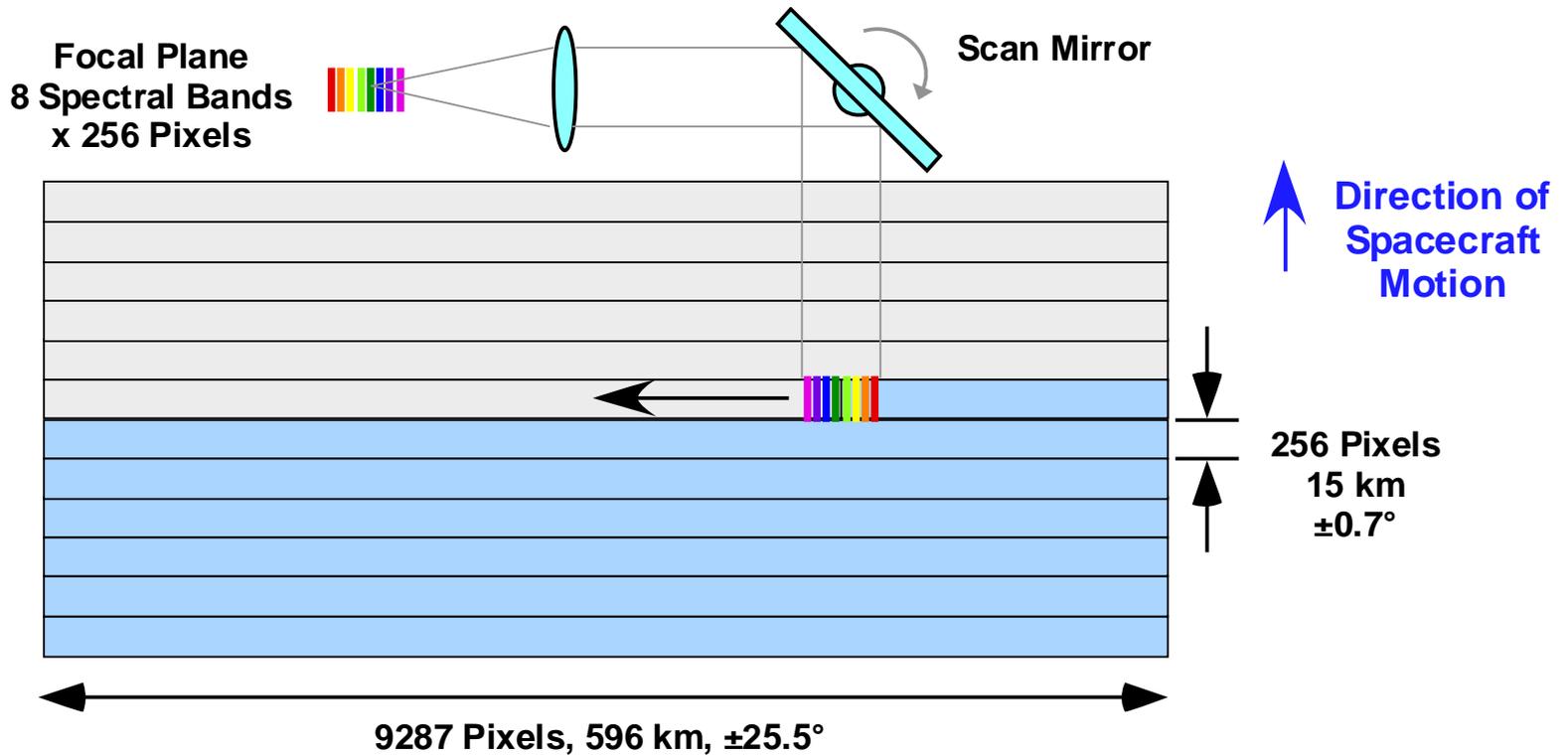


PHyTIR Overall Goal and Objective

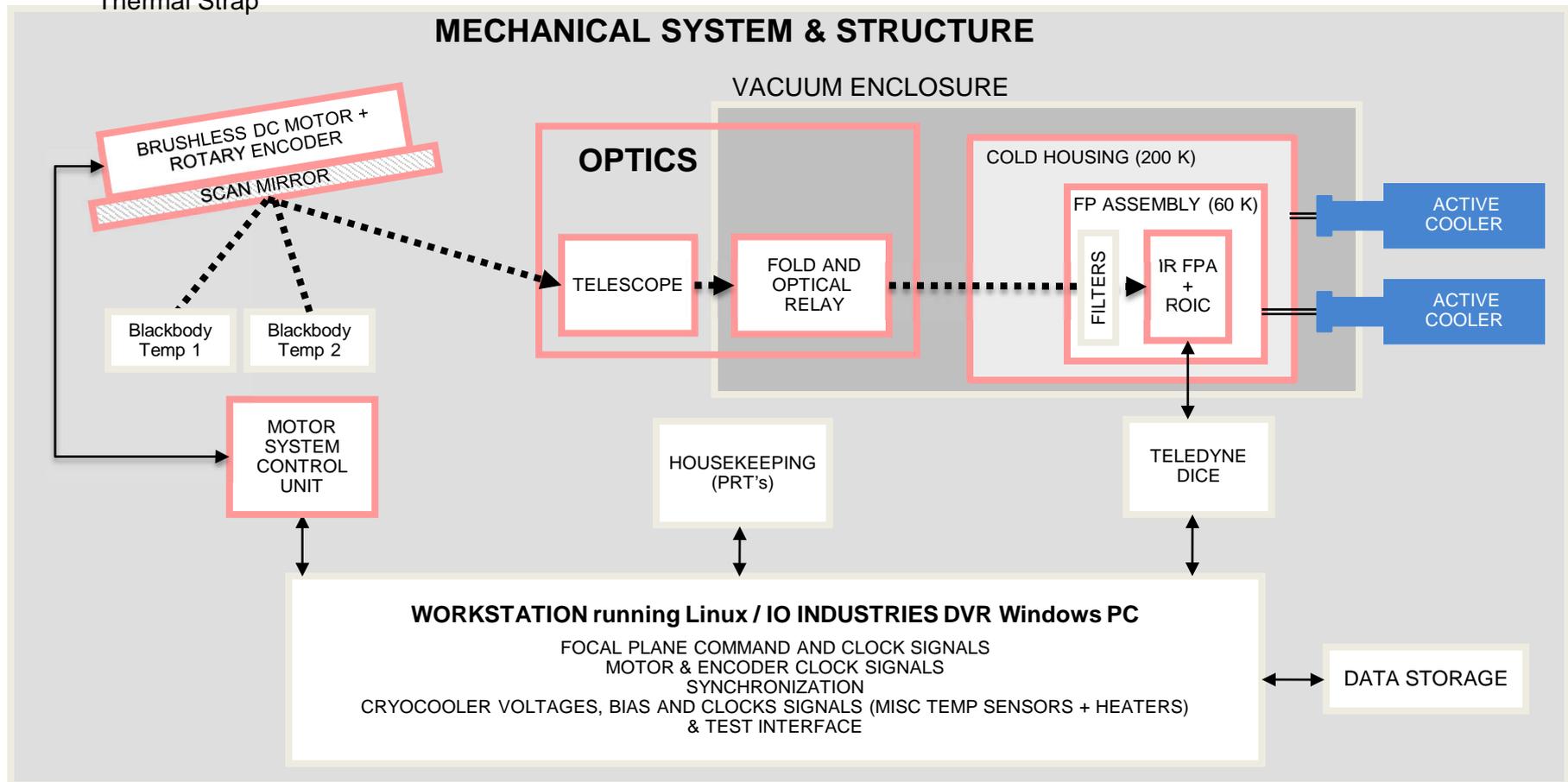
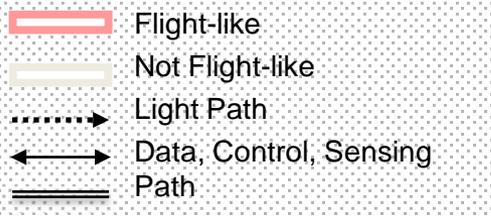
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HyspIRI Scan Concept



PHyTIR Instrument Block Diagram

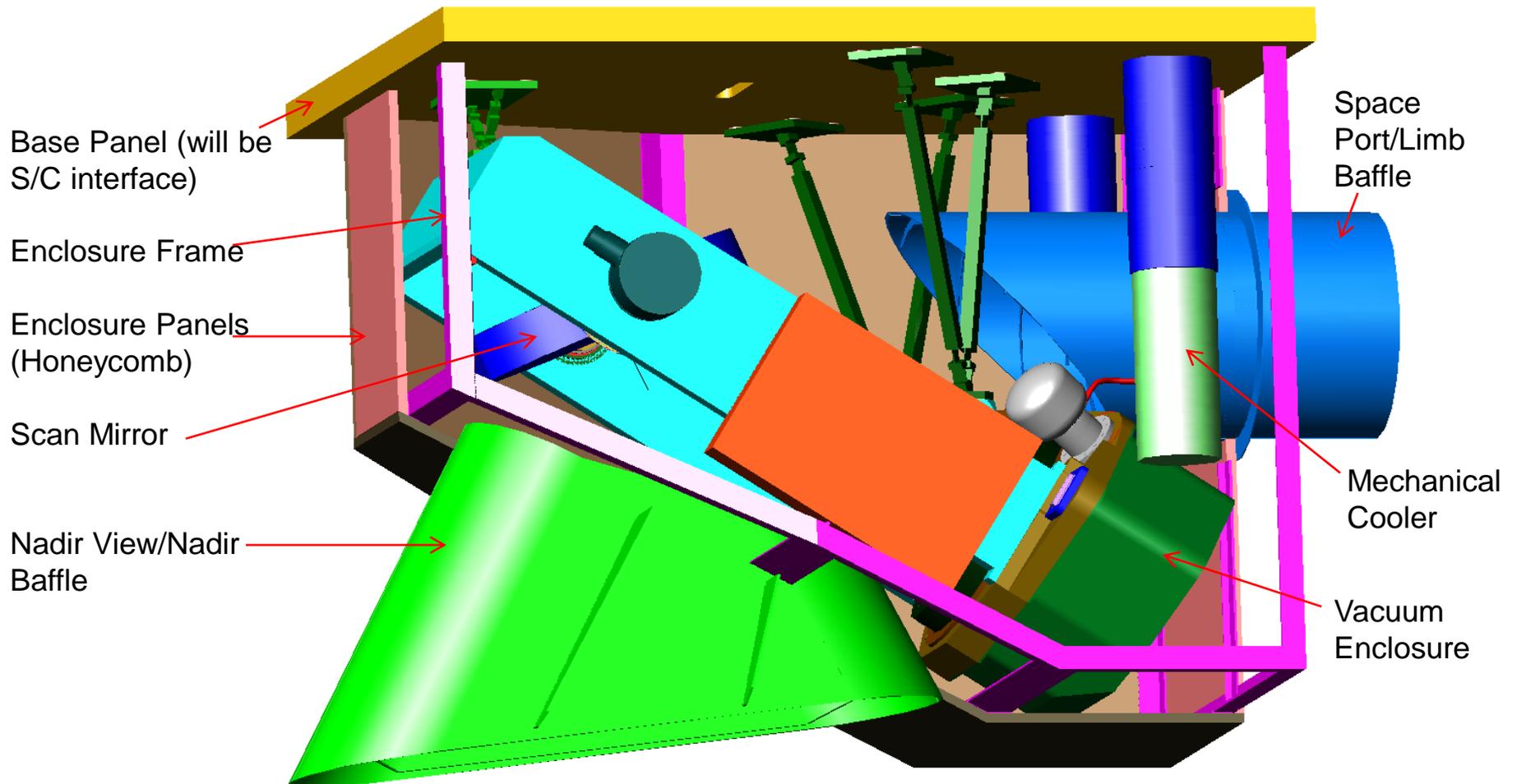


- PHyTIR will demonstrate prototypes of key HypsIRI components - optics, scan mirror, and focal-plane, stable structure
- Other components will not be flight like – electronics outside of focal plane, cooling system
- Only 3 filter bands will be incorporated into filter assembly (4, 8, and 12 microns)



PHyTIR Mechanical Layout

Scale [mm] 0 500 1000





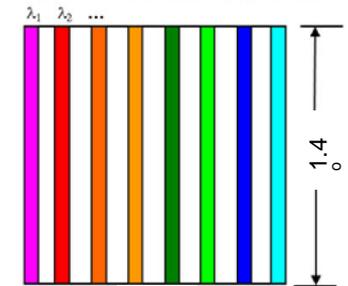
Optics

Double-Sided
Paddle Wheel
Scan Mirror

(Only 3-mirror positions shown for clarity)

Three-
Mirror
Anastigmat
Telescope

256x16 FPA Mounted Filtered Slits



51° NADIR Sweep

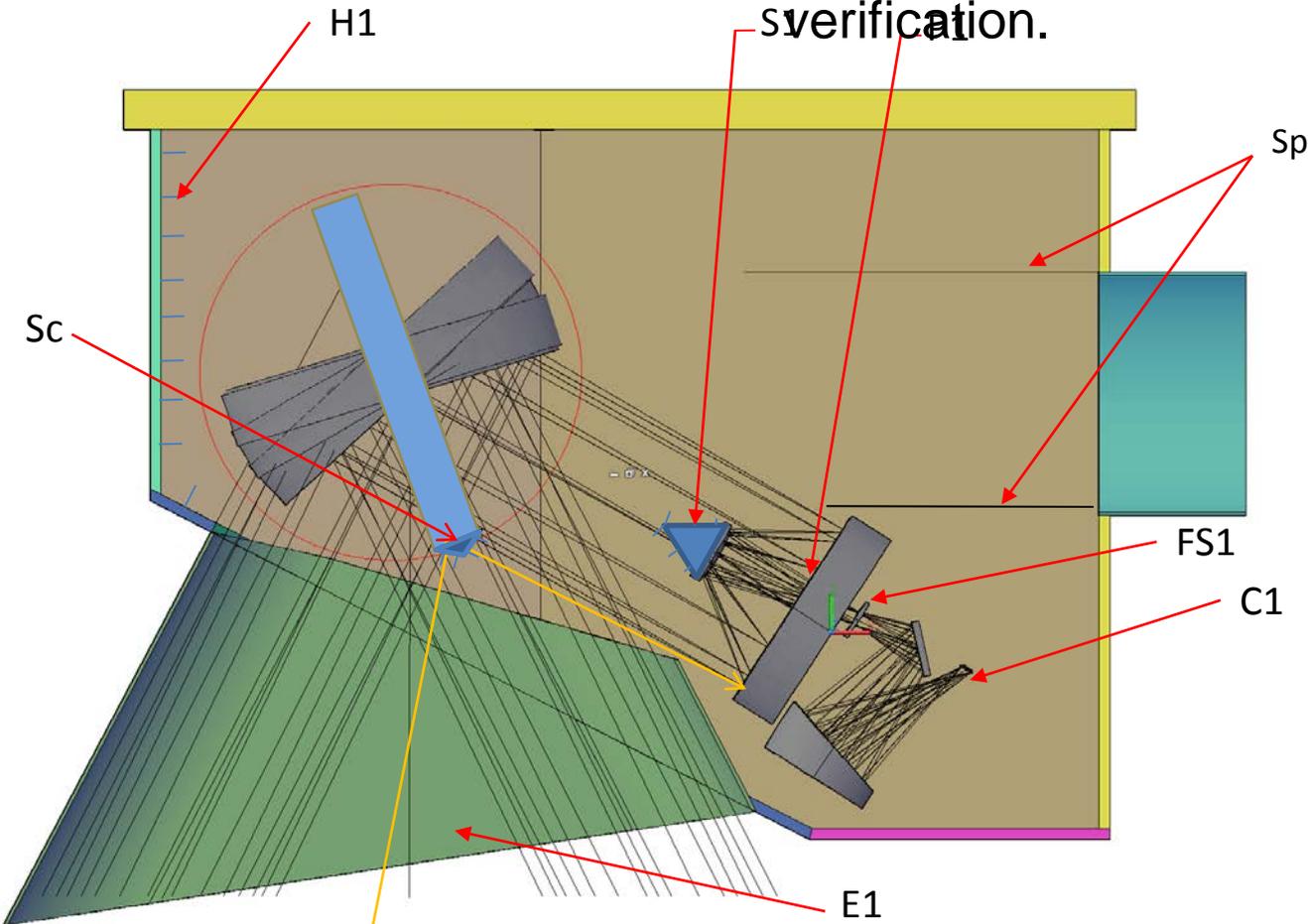
PHyTIR will
use only 3
of 8 filters.

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Optics

Design to best practices. Use non-sequential raytrace program as a verification.



Eliminate single bounce ray events to the focal plane (example shown in orange)

- Main Baffles Used on PHYTIR
- E1 (Earth baffle), 295K
 - P1 (Primary baffle), 295K
 - S1 (Secondary baffle), 295K
 - Sp (Space baffle), 295K
 - C1 (Cold baffle/stop), 60K
 - H1 (Housing baffle), 295K
 - FS1 (Field stop baffle), 295K
 - Sc(Scan mirror baffle), 295K



Optics

HyspIRI-TIR Bands

Filter #	center λ_0 (μm)	SW10% (μm)	LW10% (μm)	BW (μm)
1	3.982	3.9745	3.9895	0.015
2	7.35	7.19	7.51	0.320
3	8.278	8.103	8.453	0.350
4	8.628	8.453	8.803	0.350
5	9.074	8.894	9.254	0.360
6	10.5284	10.2584	10.7984	0.540
7	11.3284	11.0584	11.5984	0.540
8	12.046	11.786	12.306	0.520

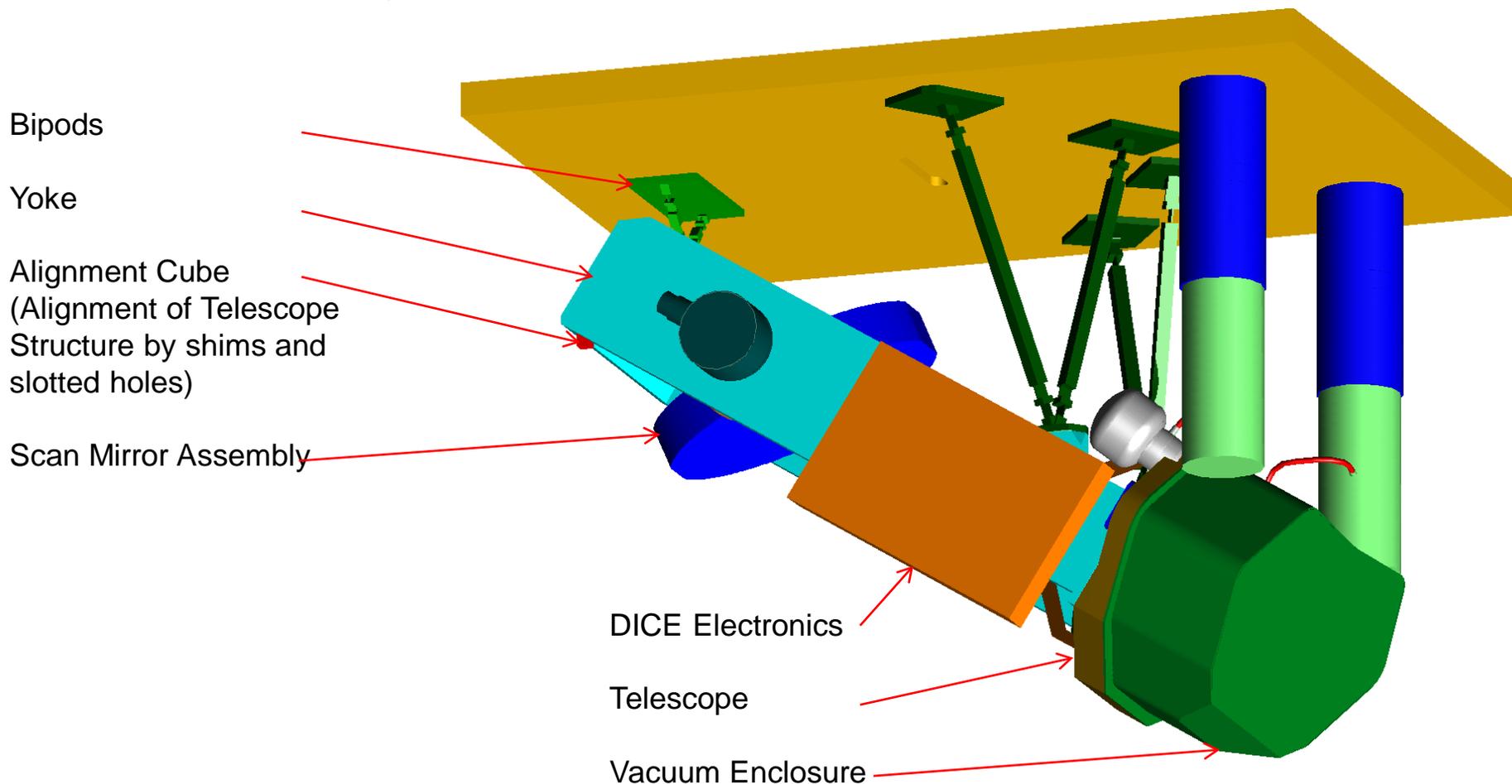
PHyTIR Focal Plane Filters	
λ (μm)	$\Delta\lambda$
4	0.015
8	0.35
12	0.52

- Three custom filters will be deposited on a single ZnSe substrate. The filters should span the passband of HyspIRI-TIR but do not need to be exact matches to HyspIRI-TIR bands due to cost limitations.



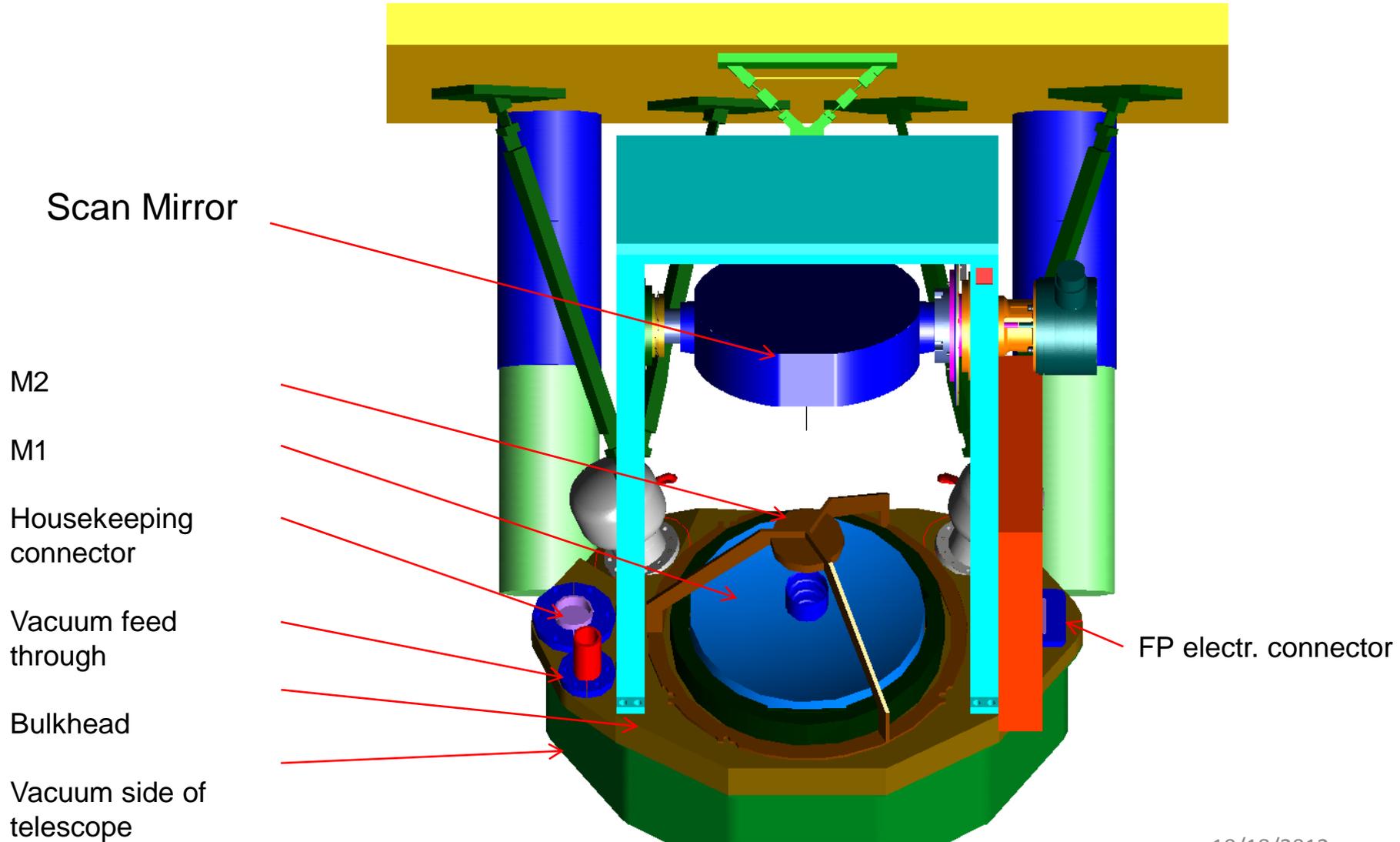
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- Instrument w/o Enclosure



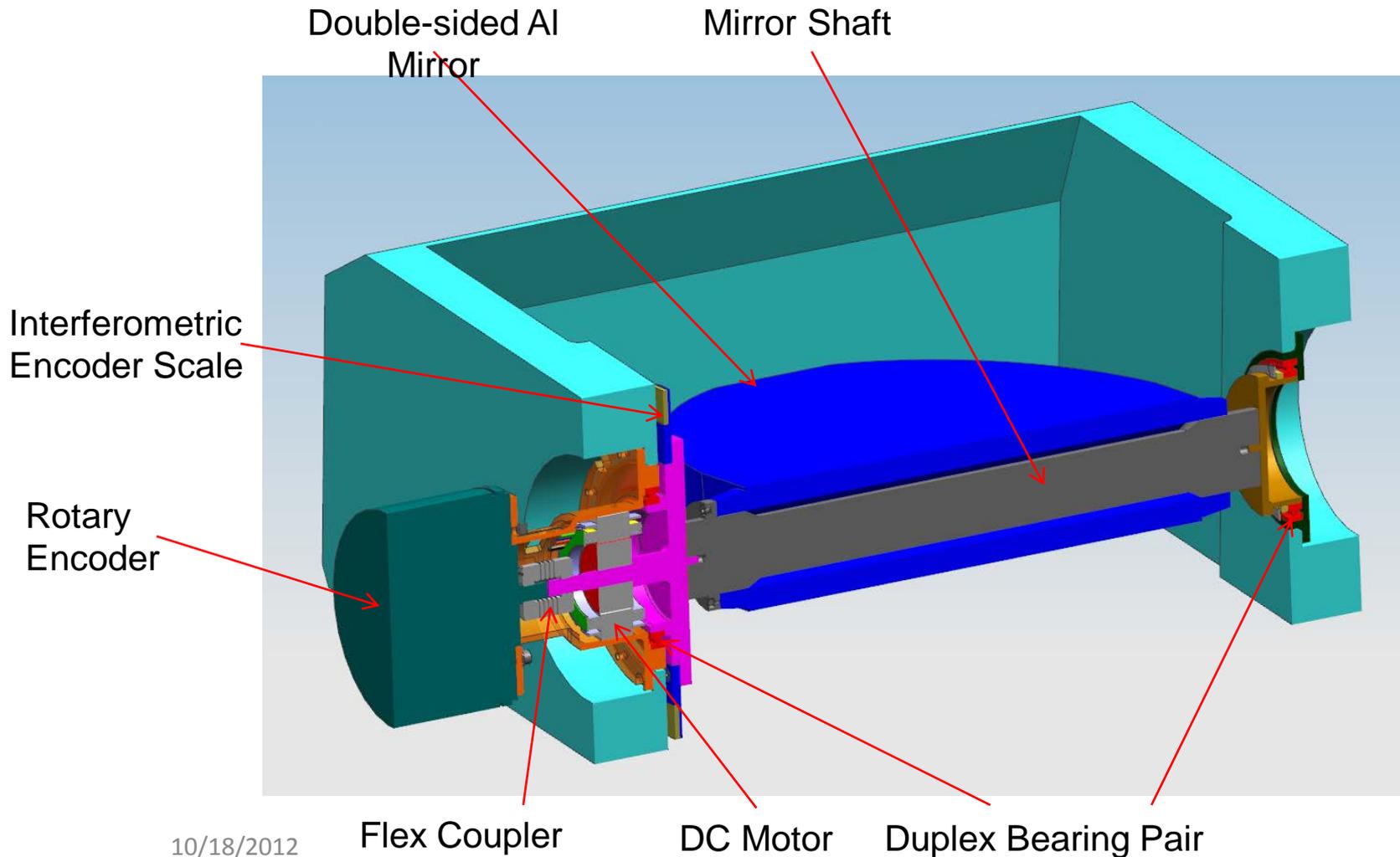


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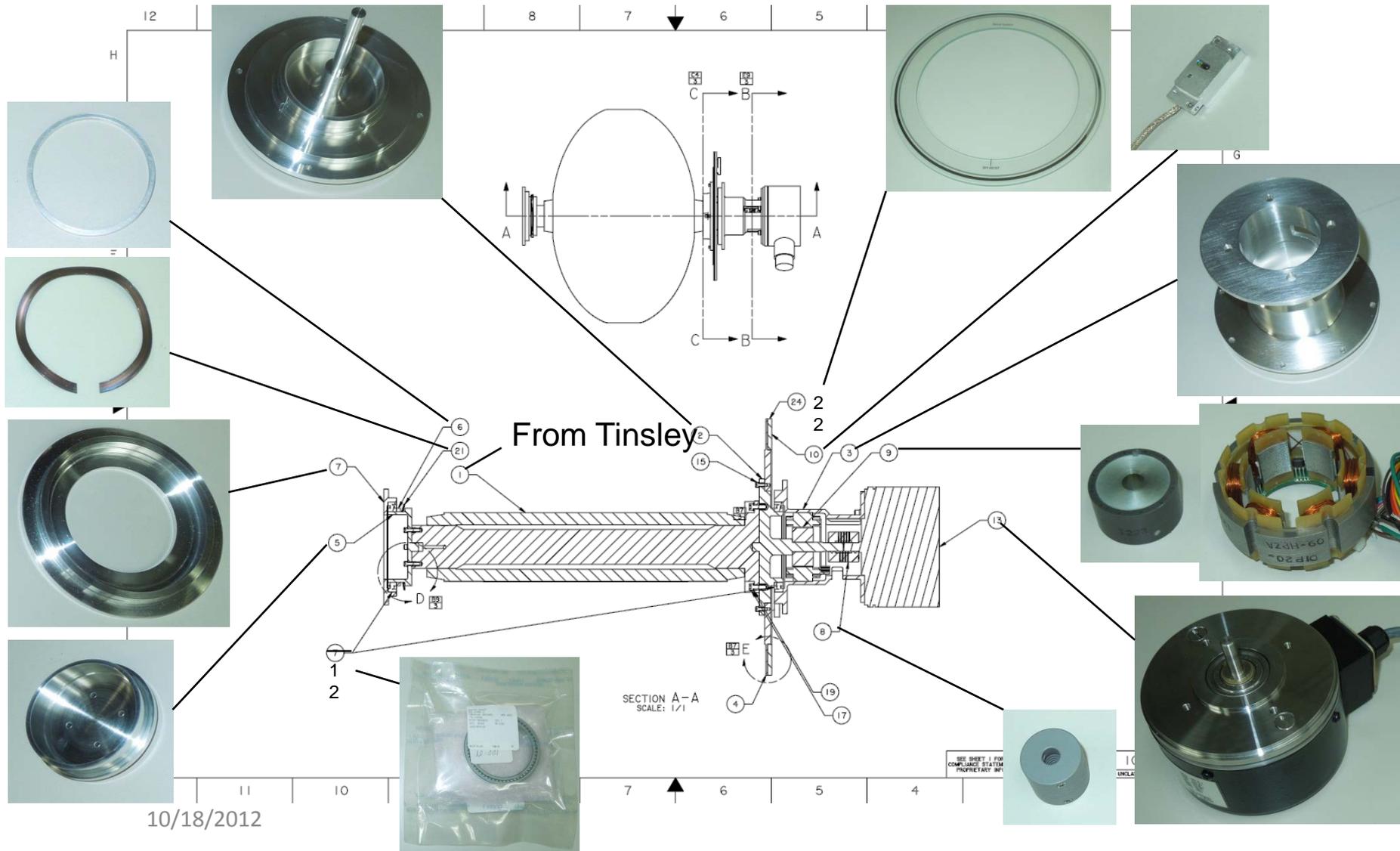
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- Scan Mirror Assembly Cross Section





Mechanical



Mechanical

- The Cryocoolers

Model: Thales Cooler LPT9310

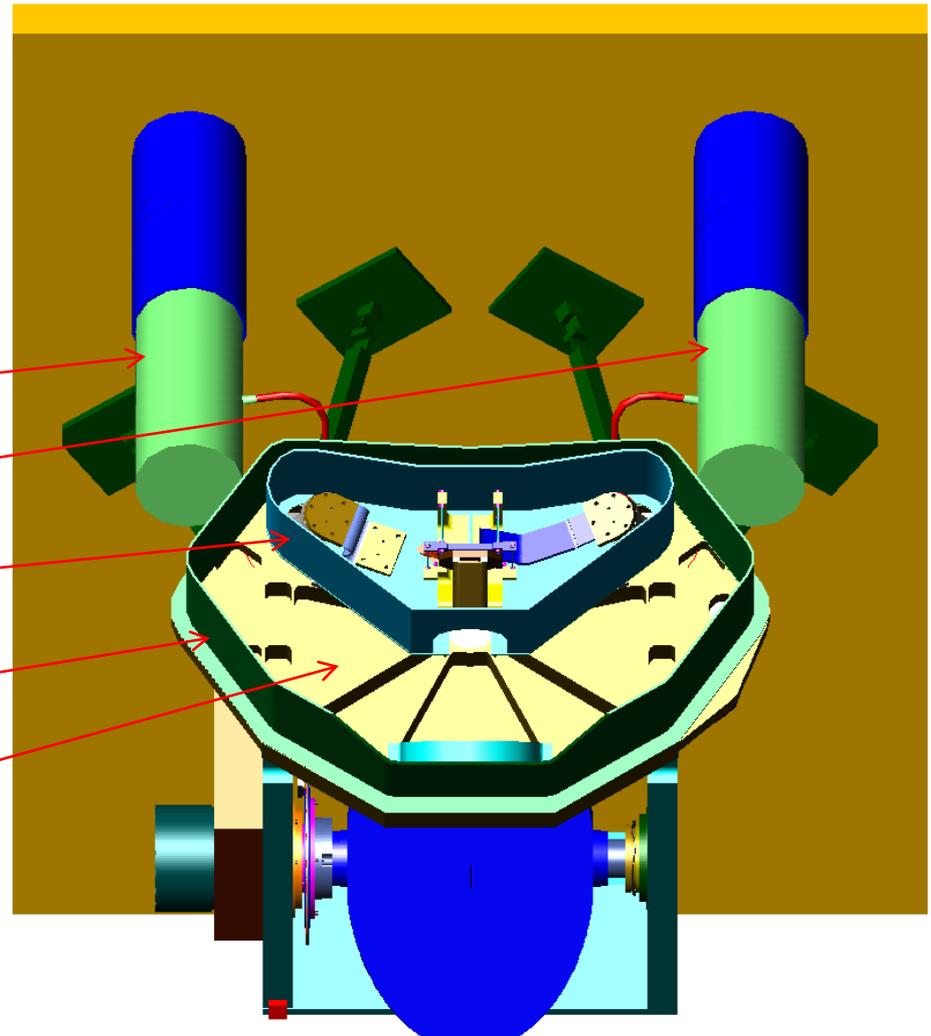
Cryocooler (for 200degK)

Cryocooler (for 60degK)

Cold Housing
(top removed to show inside)

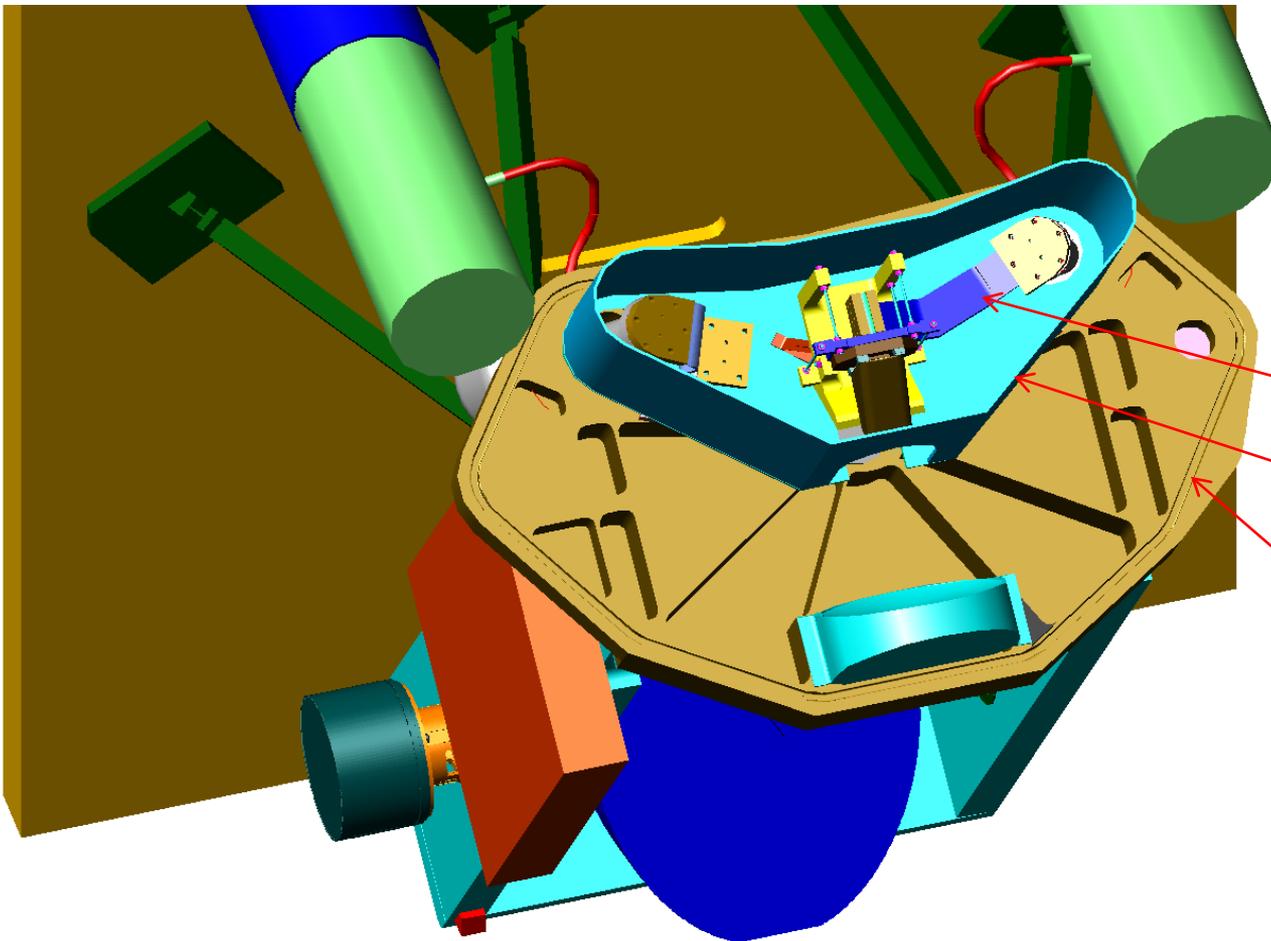
Vacuum Housing
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Bulkhead



Mechanical

- Inside the Vacuum Enclosure



Sample Thermal Strap:



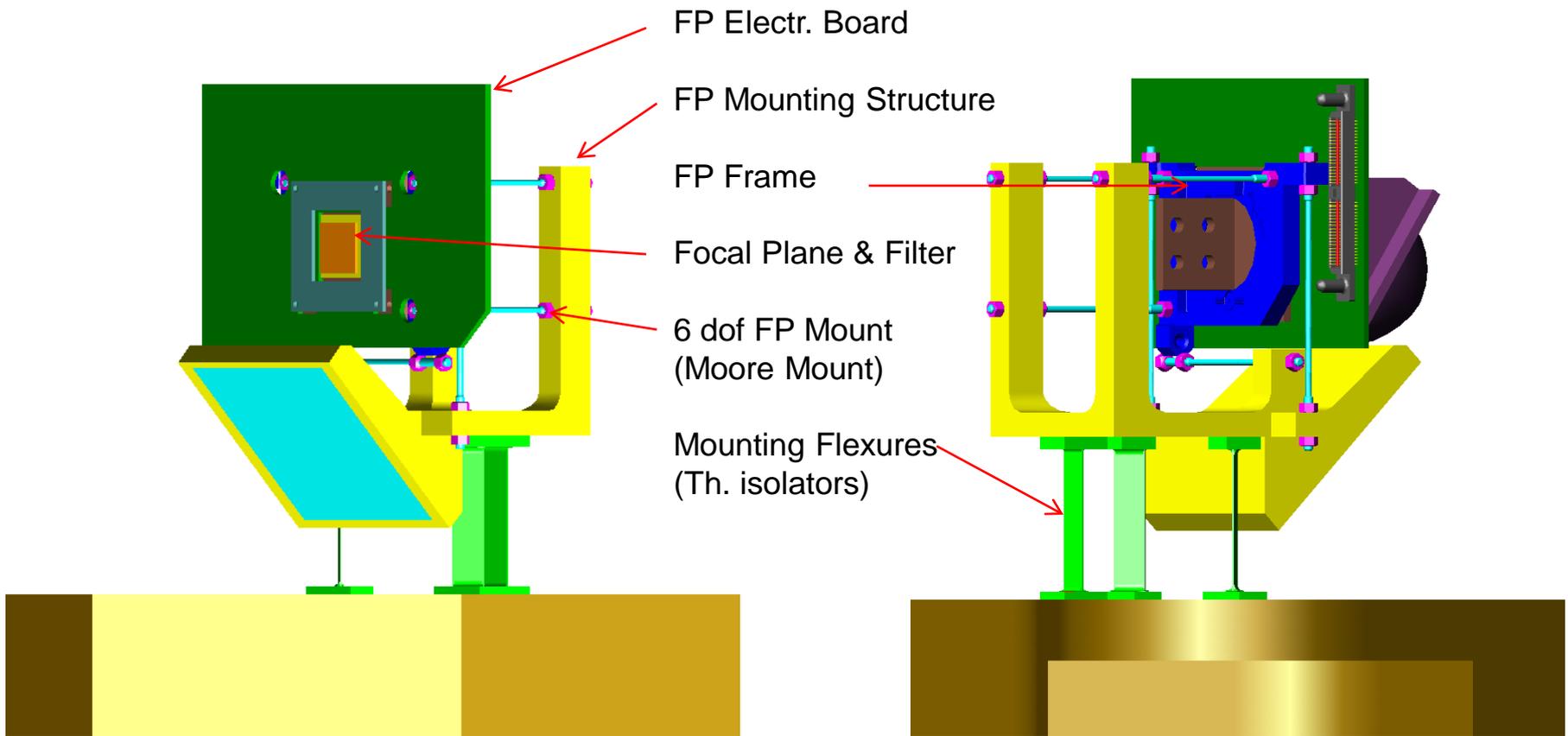
Thermal Straps

Cold Housing
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Vacuum seal O-Ring
groove

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- The FP Assembly



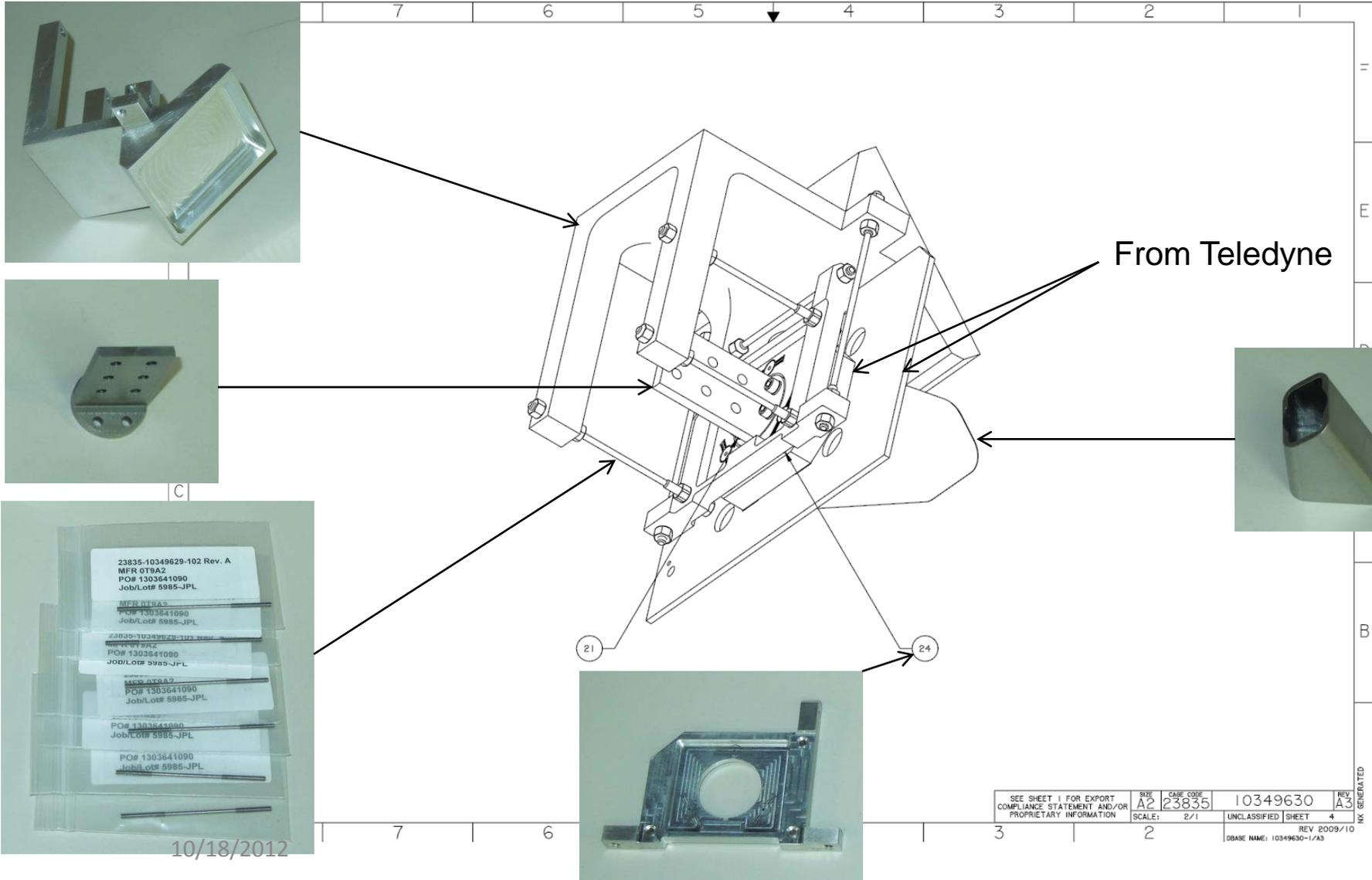
FP Front Side (FP Baffle not shown)
Backside)

FP Backside (FP Baffle on)

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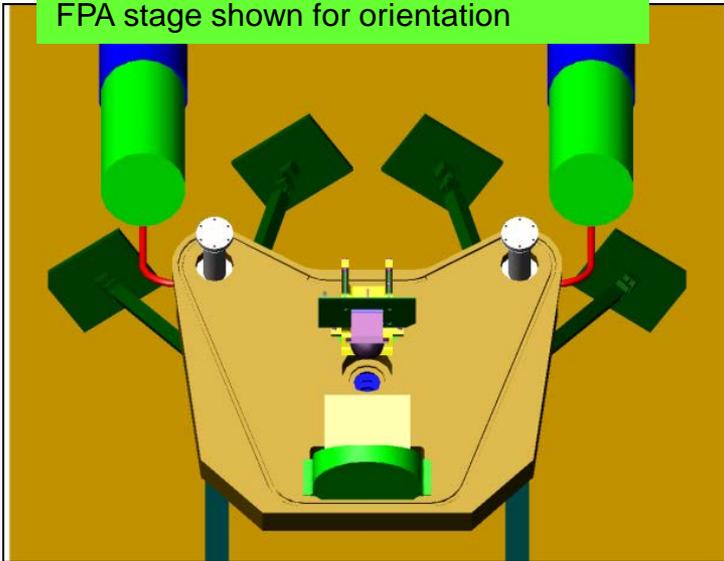
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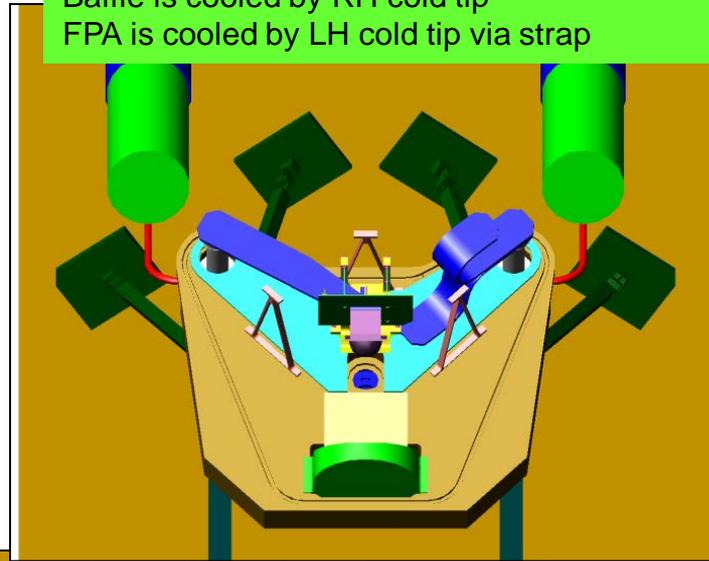
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Cooling

Bulkhead with cryocooler cold tips:
FPA stage shown for orientation

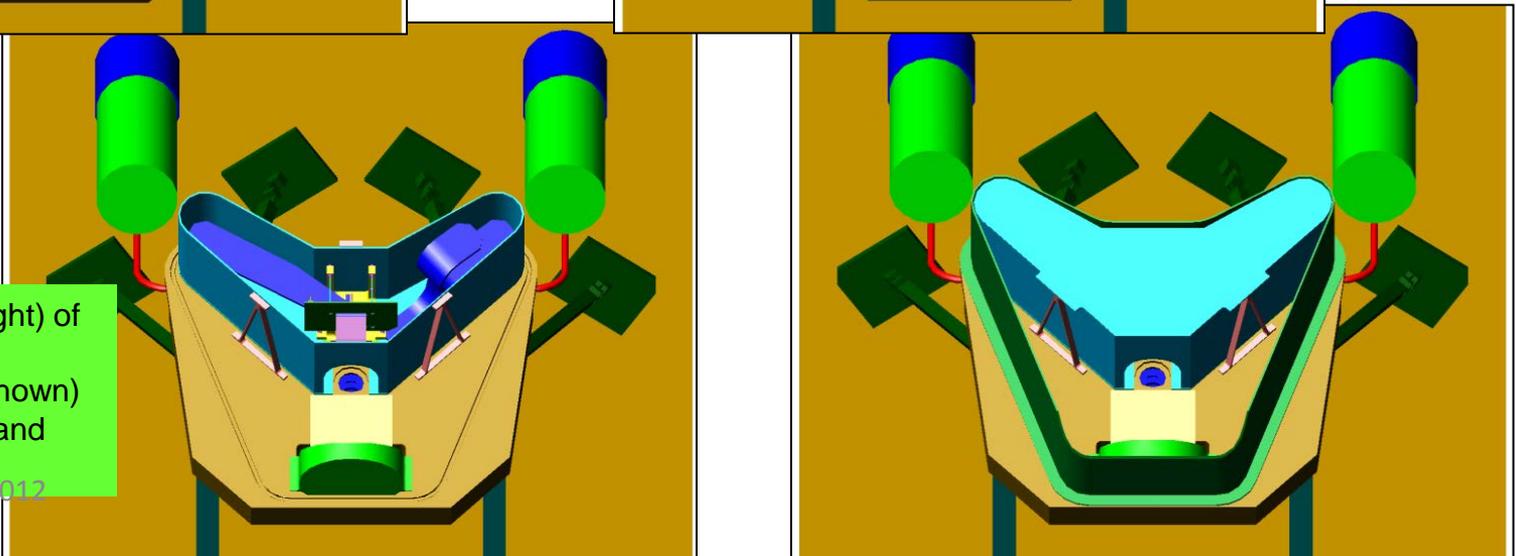


Lower stage of 200 K baffle supports FPA structure, intercepts conducted loads
Baffle is cooled by RH cold tip
FPA is cooled by LH cold tip via strap



Wall (left) and top (right) of
200 K baffle in place.
Vacuum cover (not shown)
encloses cold stage and
mirrors.

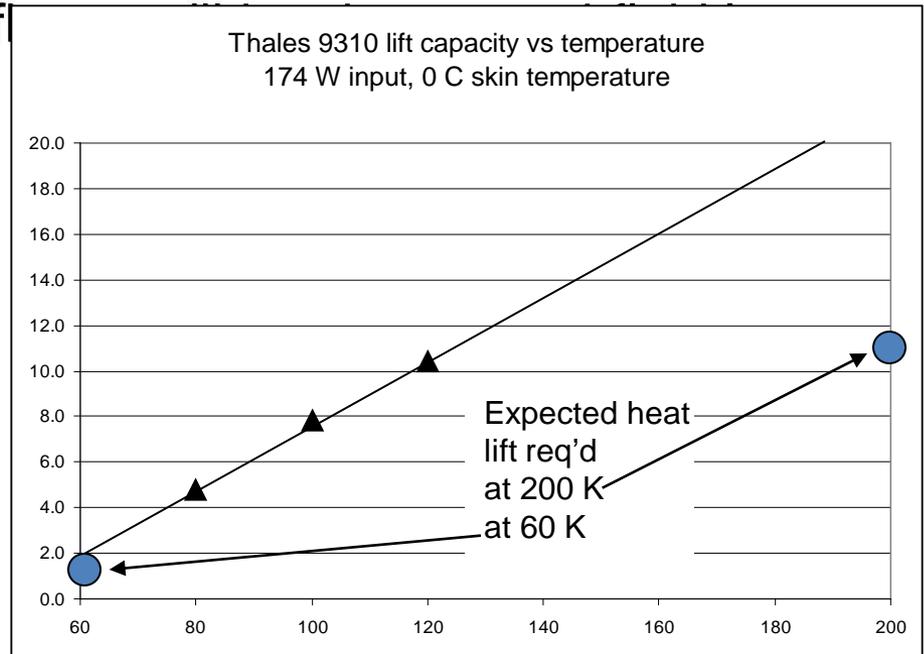
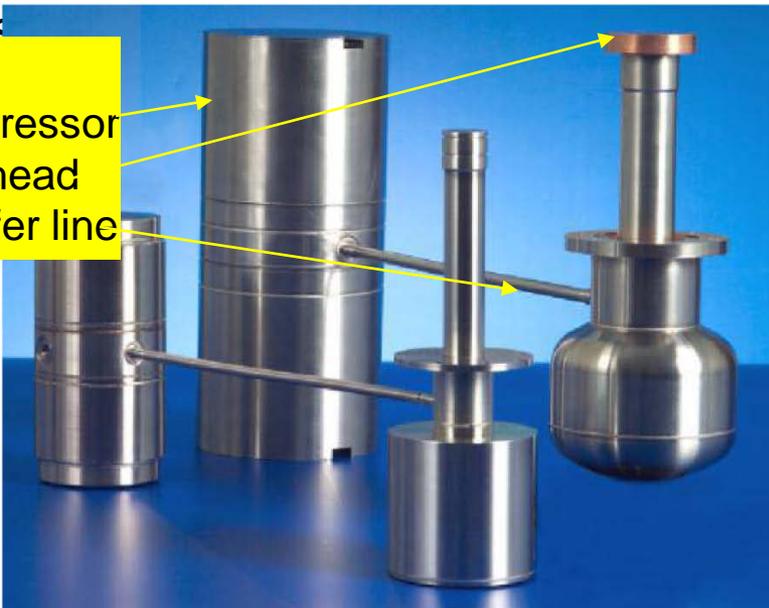
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Cooling

- PHyTIR uses two identical Thales 9310 pulse tube coolers
 - 20,000 hour MTTF (2.3 years)
 - drive electronics will incorporate lab-level active vibration cancellation for the dual opposed pistons, enabling evaluation for future flight potential
- Cooler motor mounted to interface plate, may require vibration isolation (TBD)
- Cooling of motors and cold head f

9310
compressor
cold head
transfer line



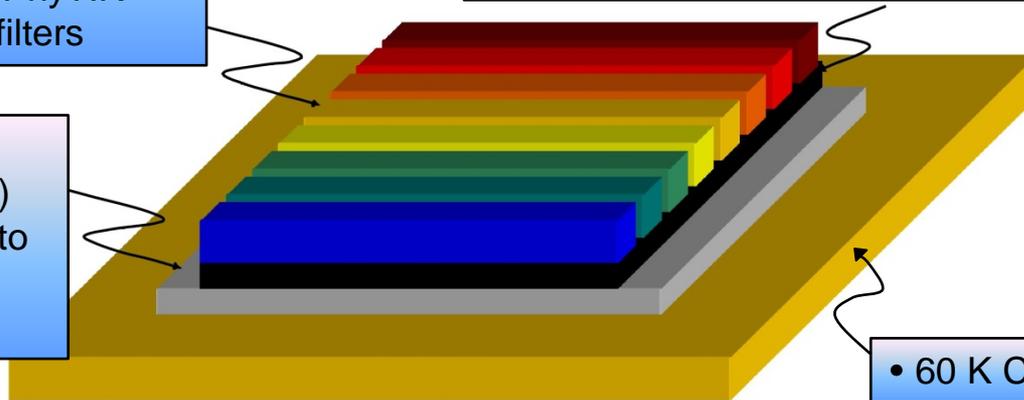


Focal Plane Concept

- Butcher-Block Filter Assembly
- Baffles to Prevent Crosstalk Between Spectral Channels
- HypsIRI will have 8 filters, PhyTIR demonstration will have 3 filters

- CMOS Read-Out Integrated Circuit (ROIC)
- 32 Analog Output Lines to Enable Necessary Pixel Read Rate

- MCT Detector Array – 256 elements cross-sweep
- 1 Bandgap to Cover Full Spectral Range
- ≥ 4 Detector Columns per Spectral Channel to Allow Time Delay and Integration (TDI)

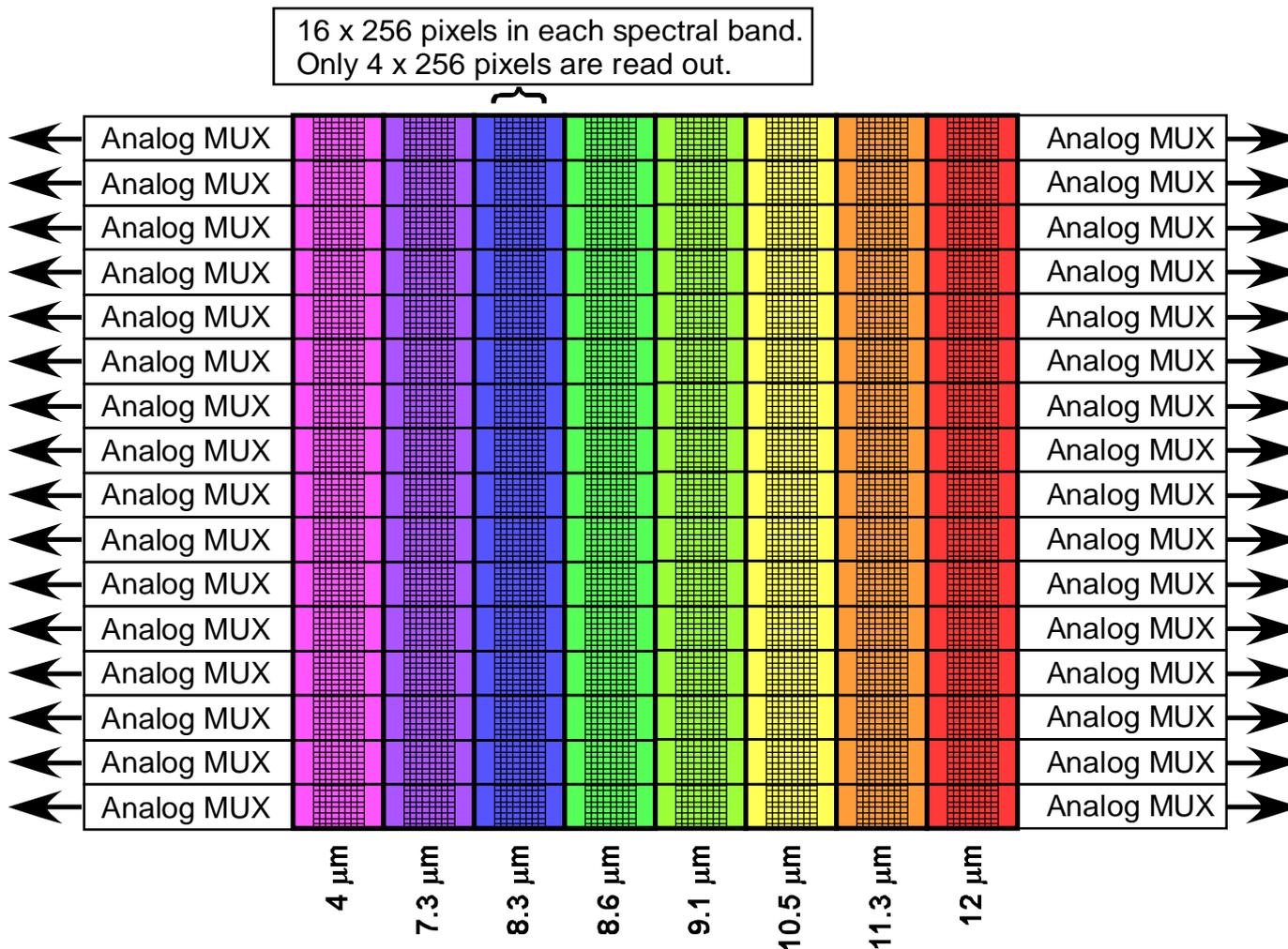


- 60 K Cold Tip of Cryocooler

- Teledyne under contract to provide focal planes. Contract for external readout electronics in place.
- Digitization in off-chip ADCs
- TDI performed after digitization

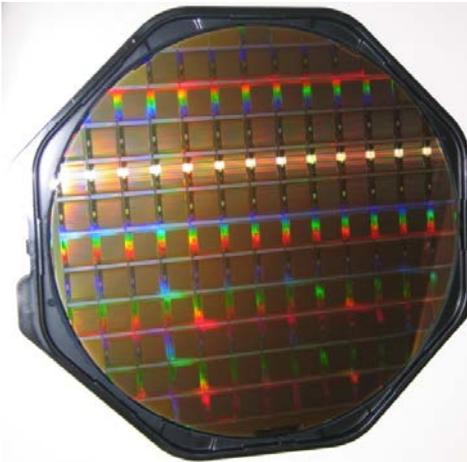


Focal Plane Readout Architecture

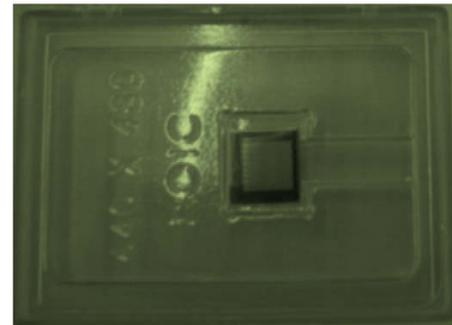




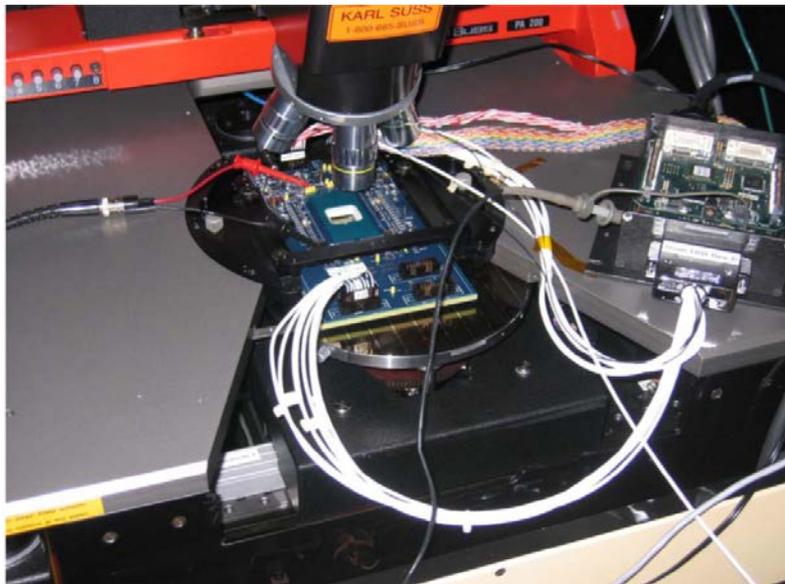
ROIC Status



6 eight-inch wafers have been fabricated and delivered to Teledyne with over 100 dies each. Diced ROICs are ready for hybridization.



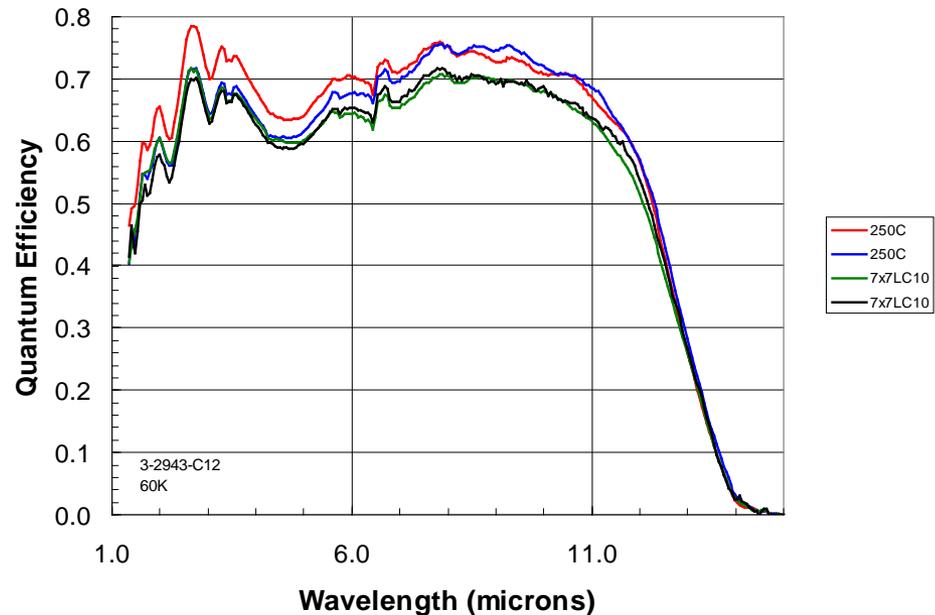
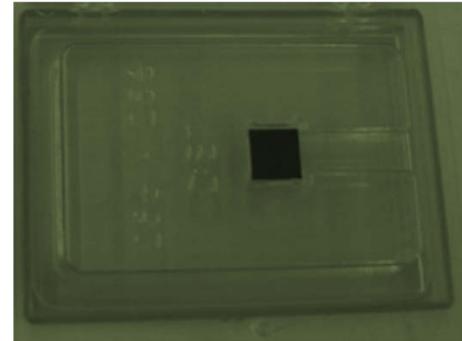
Wafer probe station. Wafer has been tested at room temperature and at nearly the required readout speed. Noise and power performance are as expected, as well as register functionality.



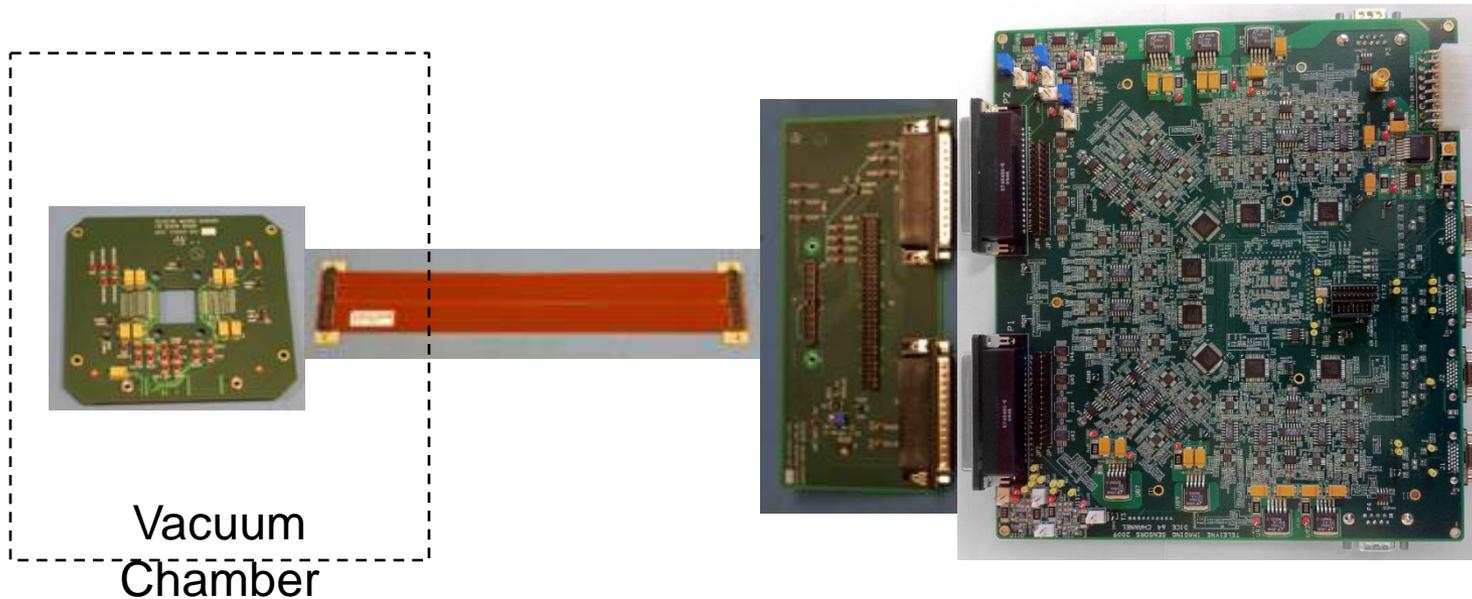


Detector Status

- Detectors wafers have been fabricated using ~13.2 micron cutoff MCT material.
- Diced detectors are ready to hybridize.
- Antireflective coating on a test detector shows adequate quantum efficiency.
- Detectors will be hybridized with readout chips in December 2012



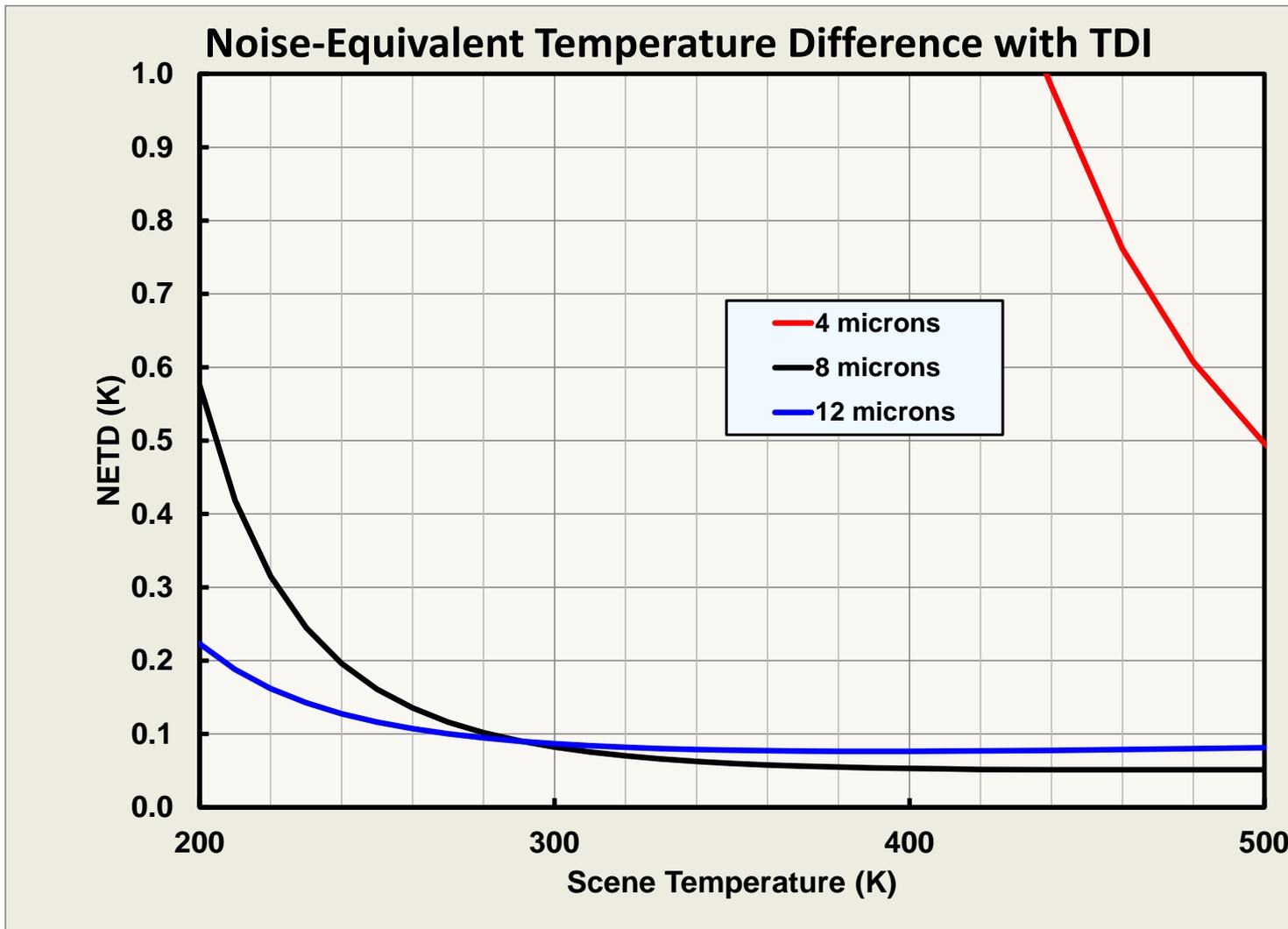
FPA Electronics



- Teledyne FPA board contains the ROIC, other passive devices, and SAMTEC connector to get data, control, and supply signals in and out.
- Flex cable is being designed to replicate the performance of an existing SAMTEC cable, but we must use a different conductor to meet thermal performance specifications.
- Teledyne interface board contains SAMTEC connector, test points, voltage regulation circuits, and two 78 pin DSUB connectors to interface with digitization board.
- Teledyne DICE board digitizes ROIC data and generates low-noise biases, clocks, and synchronization signals for the ROIC.

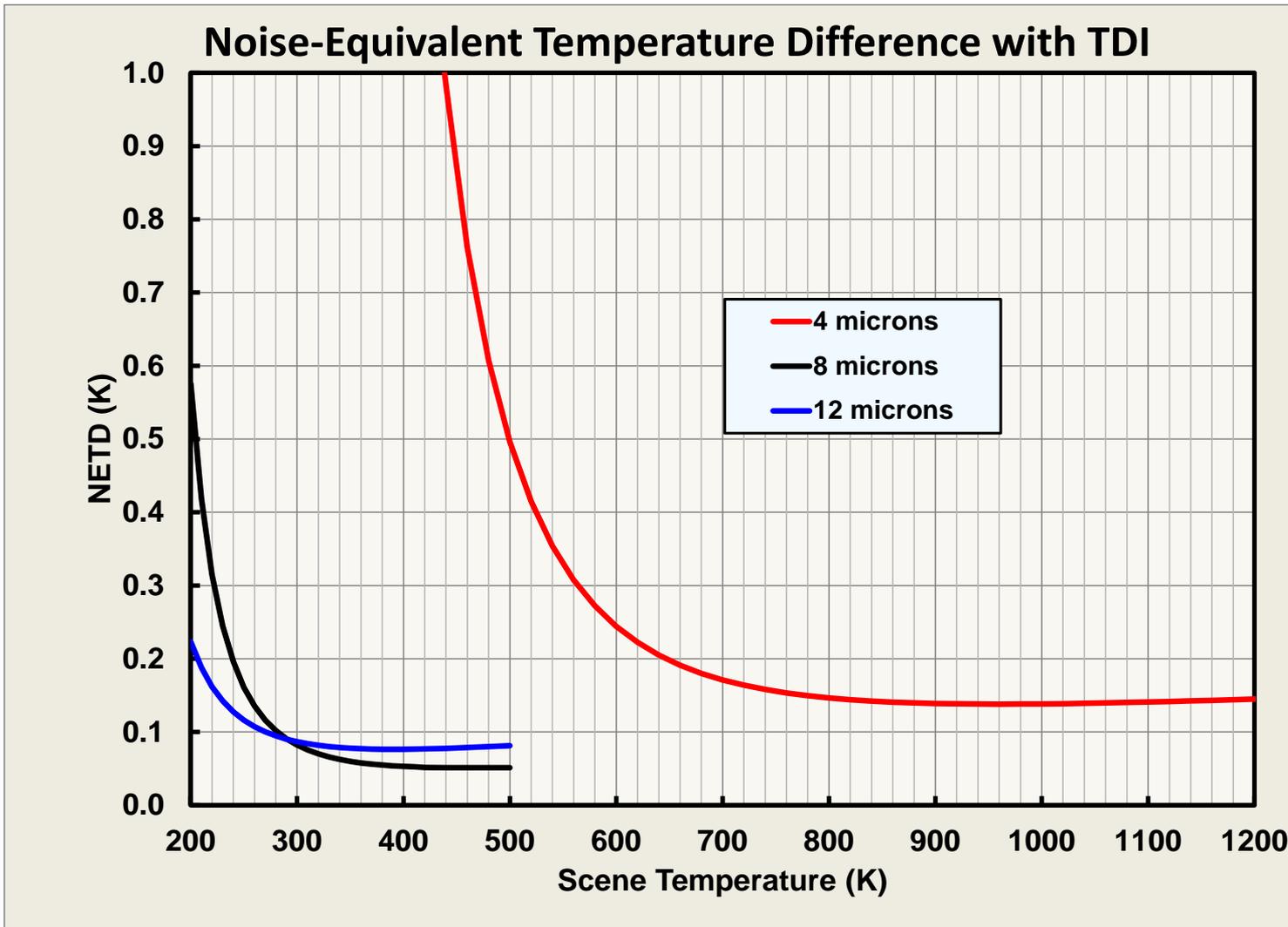


Performance





Performance – Full Temperature Range





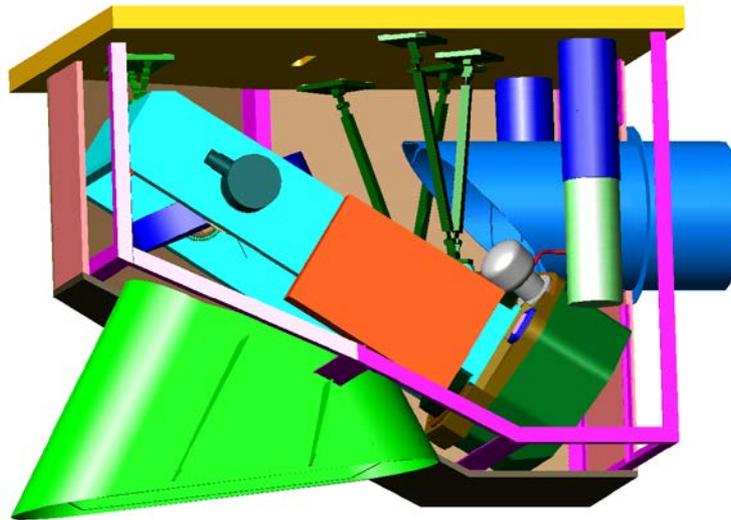
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PHyTIR Test Configuration

- Instrument is in air. Vacuum enclosure around focal-plane is evacuated (to be described in detail in mechanical presentation). Scan mirror rotating.



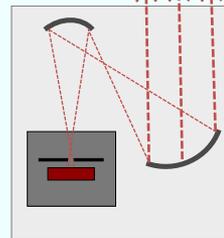
Room-temperature reference blackbody. Flat plate with corrugated, painted surface. Emissivity <1 acceptable.

Radiometric and Saturation



Variable-temperature blackbody: room temperature to 500 K. Flat plate with corrugated, blackened surface. Emissivity <1 acceptable.

Spatial



MCS Target Projector with slit source. Will underfill PHyTIR aperture.

Test Sources Placed Within PHyTIR Scan Range



Summary and Next Steps

- PHyTIR will reduce the risk associated with key aspects of the HypIRI-TIR performance (signal to noise, pointing, saturation, shielding)
- PHyTIR is on track with all the large procurements in place and delivery of the first detectors expected in December. Key components are already being assembled e.g. scan mirror.
- Next steps will be to assemble the instrument and start testing in mid 2012



Backup